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June 13, 2003

VIA FACSIMILE AND FIRST CLASS MAIL

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> RE: John L. Davidson Patents and Patent Applications

U.S. Appl. No. 09/954,462 U.S. Appl. No. 09/976,106 U.S. Appl. No. 10/084,444 U.S. Appl. No. 10/355,901

Int. Appl. No. PCT/US02/05771

U.S. Pat. No. 5,843,505

U.S. Pat. No. 6,165,538

U.S. Pat. No. 6,322,833

EP 0845954 B1 AU 9668444A

CAN. 2,229,270 PCT/US96/13006

Dear Mr. Coppola:

Please be advised that this office represents L. John Davidson regarding the abovereferenced issued and pending patent applications (the "Davidson Patents").

As you know. Mr. Davidson is the owner of and claims exclusive rights over Pasteurized Eggs Corporation ("PEC") in and to the Davidson Patents. There has never been a valid assignment by Mr. Davidson in favor of PEC, and PEC has no rights to claim ownership by virtue of any relationship or agreement, including, but not limited to, a certain Employment Agreement dated January 22, 2001, and a Global Settlement Memorandum dated as of September 20, 2001. The only assignments that exist between Davidson and PEC involve U.S. rights to the '505 and '538 patents, including reissues and extensions. These assignments may have been induced by fraud and misrepresentations and there was a failure of consideration by PEC.

Kenyon & Kenyon has no authority to prosecute any pending applications or provide patent services for any issued patents in the name of L. John Davidson as inventor. Demand is hereby made to you and your firm to cease and desist all patent services involving Davidson's

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patents and to return all Davidson patent files to Mr. Davidson. Further, please provide a list of all pending U.S. and foreign patent applications that identify L. John Davidson as inventor or co-inventor, along with a description and schedule of any upcoming action deadlines within seven (7) days of the date hereof. We also request that you provide us, at the same time, with a description of any activities that you have undertaken since the beginning of your engagement by PEC that involve the Davidson Patents which Davidson, as inventor, is entitled to know.

If you do not cease and desist and believe you have authorization to act in the Davidson Patent matters, provide this office with the basis for this authorization and copies of all documents in support thereof. Any authorization you may have been given by PEC or any other party involving the Davidson Patents is invalid and ineffective and was without the express or implied consent of Mr. Davidson. Further, the recent transfer of Davidson files by the Birch, Stewart, Kolasch & Birch, LLP law firm to you was not authorized by Mr. Davidson.

Your activity, including but not limited to, notification to European patent counsel that Davidson is not the owner, and should not be communicated with, is wrong and may cause irreparable harm and damage to Mr. Davidson. You are interfering with Mr. Davidson's lawful rights in and to the Davidson Patents, and the management thereof, and we intend to hold you responsible for any and all damages incurred by Mr. Davidson as a result thereof.

By acting before the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in any matter where Mr. Davidson's intellectual property is involved, you are representing that you are his attorney as well as PEC's. We believe this places you and your firm in a conflict situation, and you cannot represent Mr. Davidson in these patent matters before the PTO without the express consent and authority of L. John Davidson. That consent is not being given and was never given.

We are prepared to take all necessary action to protect our client's intellectual property rights in and to the Davidson Patents. Your continued representation in these matters is at your peril, is not authorized and may result in action against you and your firm, which may include, inter alia, the filing of an ethical complaint before the PTO.

Very truly/sours

Jamie N. Hage

cc: L. John Davidson

Joe McKinney Muncy, Esq.

April 28, 2003

Mr. Joseph A. Coppola, Esq. Kenyon & Kenyon One Broadway
New York, NY 10004

Re: Communications with Bart van Wezenbeek

Dear Mr. Coppola:

I have reviewed the correspondence to and from you and Mr. van Wezenbeek. To avoid any confusion, please go ahead with your plans to make payment to him as you already have indicated in your communication to him. As I learn more about the selection of countries through consultation with Fred Whisenhunt, I or Fred will so advise you of our mutual thinking and seek input from you.

Sincerely,

L. John Davidson

LJD/js

cc:

James Rand

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